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Subject: RE: I-84 spill update
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Great, thank you!

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Only tiny tweak “air monitoring for worker safety” but that’s it, not a deal killer...

Otherwise, “let ‘er fly”!

MM

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 16, 2019, at 12:42 PM, GLEIM Laura <Laura.GLEIM@state.or.us> wrote:

Update: Feb. 16, 11:30 a.m.

Improved weather and a clear roadway have allowed responders to expand cleanup operations. The Oregon Department of Transportation has closed one lane on westbound I-84 to allow for cleanup—travelers should expect delays during daylight hours for the next several days.

Responders continue to use absorbent pads to recover diesel in Lindsey Lake and will begin recovering diesel that has accumulated in roadside snow. Crews will pump oil and oily water up to the roadway via vacuum truck and then transfer to a holding tank nearby for proper disposal. A skimmer will be used to recover the fuel accumulated in the lake. The diesel remains contained to the lake; it has not reached the Columbia River. Responders continue to conduct air monitoring and water sampling. Responders have identified an impact to a small wetland area on the Lindsey Lake shoreline, but deep snow continues to make it difficult to determine the extent of the contamination.

DEQ is grateful for the assistance and partnership of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Oregon Department of Transportation, Washington Department of Ecology, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation, Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation, Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission, Oregon Water Resources Department, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, NWFF Environmental, and National Response Corporation in this spill response.

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